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L4 ANSWER 1 OF 6 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS  
AN 1990:212722 CAPLUS  
DN 112:212722  
TI Translational repression by bacteriophage MS2 coat protein expressed from a plasmid. A system for genetic analysis of a protein-RNA interaction  
AU Peabody, David S.  
CS Sch. Med., Univ. New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, 87131, USA  
SO J. Biol. Chem. (1990), 265(10), 5684-9  
CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258  
DT Journal  
LA English  
AB The coat protein of phage MS2 is a translational repressor. It inhibits the synthesis of the viral replicase by \*\*\*binding\*\*\* a specific \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* structure that contains the replicase translation initiation region. In order to begin a genetic dissection of the repressor activity of coat protein, a 2-plasmid system has been constructed that expresses coat protein and a replicase-.beta.-galactosidase fusion protein from different, compatible plasmids contg. different \*\*\*antibiotic\*\*\* -resistance determinants. The coat protein expressed from the first plasmid (pCT1) represses synthesis of a replicase-.beta.-galactosidase fusion protein encoded on the other plasmid (pRZ5). Mutations in

the translational operator or in coat protein result in constitutive synthesis of the enzyme. This permits the straightforward isolation of mutations in the coat sequence that affect repressor function. Because of the potential importance of cysteine residues for \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* \*\*\*binding\*\*\*, mutations were constructed that substitute serines for the cysteine residues normally present at positions 46 and 101. Both of these mutations result in translational repressor defects. Chromatog. and electron microscopic analyses indicate that the plasmid-encoded wild-type coat protein forms capsids in vivo. The ability of the mutants to adopt and/or maintain the appropriate conformation was assayed by comparing them to the wild-type protein for their ability to form capsids. Both mutants exhibited evidence of improper folding and/or instability, as indicated by their aberrant elution behavior on a column of Sepharose CL-4B. Methods were developed for the rapid purifn. of plasmid-encoded coat protein, facilitating future biochem. analyses of mutant coat proteins.

L4 ANSWER 2 OF 6 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1990:31328 CAPLUS

DN 112:31328

TI AbrB, a regulator of gene expression in *Bacillus*, interacts with the transcription initiation regions of a sporulation gene and an \*\*\*antibiotic\*\*\* biosynthesis gene

AU Robertson, Jeffrey B.; Gocht, Martin; Marahiel, Mohamed A.; Zuber, Peter

CS Dep. Bot. Microbiol., Oklahoma State Univ., Stillwater, OK, 74078, USA

SO Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U. S. A. (1989), 86(21), 8457-61  
CODEN: PNASA6; ISSN: 0027-8424

DT Journal

LA English

AB The *abrB* gene of *B. subtilis* is believed to encode a repressor that controls the expression of genes involved in starvation-induced processes such as sporulation and the prodn. of antibiotics and degradative enzymes. Two such genes, *spoVG*, a sporulation gene of *B. subtilis*, and *tycA*, which encodes tyrocidine synthetase I of the tyrocidine biosynthetic pathway in *B. brevis*, are neg. regulated by *abrB* in *B. subtilis*. To exam. the role of *abrB* in the repression of gene transcription, the AbrB protein was purified and then tested for its ability to bind to *spoVG* and *tycA* promoter DNA. In a gel mobility shift expt., AbrB was found to bind to a DNA fragment contg. the sequence from -95 to +61 of *SpovG*. AbrB protein exhibited reduced affinity for DNA of 2 mutant forms of the *spoVG* promoter that had been shown to be insensitive to *abrB*-dependent repression in vivo. These studies showed that an upstream A + T-rich sequence from -37 to -95 was required for optimal AbrB

binding. AbrB protein was also obsd. to bind to the tyca gene within a region between the transcription start site and the tyca coding sequence as well as to a region contg. the putative tyca promoter. These findings reinforce the hypothesis that AbrB represses gene expression through its direct interaction with the transcription initiation regions of genes under its control.

L4 ANSWER 3 OF 6 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1987:95365 CAPLUS

DN 106:95365

TI Involvement of specific portions of ribosomal RNA in defined ribosomal functions: a study utilizing antibiotics

AU Cundliffe, E.

CS Dep. Biochem., Univ. Leicester, Leicester, UK

SO Struct., Funct., Genet. Ribosomes, ["Ribosome Conf."] (1986), Meeting Date 1985, 586-604. Editor(s): Hardesty, Boyd; Kramer, Gisela. Publisher: Springer, New York, N. Y.

CODEN: 55HZA6

DT Conference; General Review

LA English

AB A review with 37 refs. on the binding of ribosomes by antibiotics in relation to the role of rRNA in ribosomal function.

L4 ANSWER 4 OF 6 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1986:583365 CAPLUS

DN 105:183365

TI The binding of the antitumor \*\*\*antibiotic\*\*\* chartreusin to poly(dA-dT).poly(dA-dT), poly(dG-dC).poly(dG-dC), calf thymus DNA, transfer RNA, and ribosomal RNA

AU Krueger, William C.; Pschigoda, Loraine M.; Moscowitz, Albert

CS Upjohn Co., Kalamazoo, MI, 49001, USA

SO J. Antibiot. (1986), 39(9), 1298-303

CODEN: JANTAJ; ISSN: 0021-8820

DT Journal

LA English

AB Chartreusin (I) [6377-18-0] binds cooperatively to the poly(dA-dT) [26966-61-0] duplex and the poly(dG-dC) [36786-90-0] duplex. Both the site-exclusion model and the specific site model yield cooperative binding consts. of about 5 .times. 10<sup>5</sup> M<sup>-1</sup> and 3 .times. 10<sup>5</sup> M<sup>-1</sup> for the AT and GC polymers, resp., and the same stoichiometry and intrinsic binding const. for both polymers of 5 nucleosides per binding site and 3.1 .times. 10<sup>4</sup> M<sup>-1</sup>. The Scatchard plot for calf thymus DNA is curved in the opposite sense from that of cooperative binding. These binding data did not fit the site-exclusion model with the cooperative binding parameter as a variable nor the specific site, neg.-cooperative binding model. The site-exclusion model with a cooperative binding parameter of unity

yielded a binding const. of about 4 .times. 10<sup>4</sup> M<sup>-1</sup> and a stoichiometry of about 5 nucleotides per binding site. The same model for transfer and rRNA yielded binding consts. of 5 .times. 10<sup>3</sup> M<sup>-1</sup> and 7 .times. 10<sup>3</sup> M<sup>-1</sup> and stoichiometries of about 13 and 6 nucleotides per binding site, resp.

L4 ANSWER 5 OF 6 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1985:609100 CAPLUS

DN 103:209100

TI Binding of coumermycin A1 to nucleic acids: a spectroscopic approach

AU Masotti, Lanfranco; Palu, G.; Von Berger, J.; Meloni, G. A.

CS Fac. Med. Surg., Univ. Parma, Parma, 43100, Italy

SO Proc. Int. Congr. Chemother., 13th (1983), Volume 6, 113/13-113/16.  
Editor(s): Spitzzy, K. H.; Karrer, K. Publisher: Verlag H. Egermann, Vienna, Austria.

CODEN: 53XPA8

DT Conference

LA English

AB The coumarin- and carbohydrate-contg. \*\*\*antibiotic\*\*\* coumermycin A1 (I) interacts with linear and closed circular DNAs as well as with rRNAs, as indicated by absorption and fluorescence spectroscopy. Fluorescence quenching showed that I is rather deeply buried within the interior of DNA (40% quenching). The apparent binding consts. for the DNAs and for rRNA were 3.8 and 2.6 .times. 10<sup>4</sup>M<sup>-1</sup>, resp. The interaction with DNA is preferential for dA-dT sequences, and the binding is probably intercalative.

L4 ANSWER 6 OF 6 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1985:180996 CAPLUS

DN 102:180996

TI Binding of small molecules to nucleic acids with tertiary structure

AU Nechipurenko, Yu. D.

CS Inst. Mol. Biol., Moscow, USSR

SO Biofizika (1985), 30(2), 231-2

CODEN: BIOFAI; ISSN: 0006-3029

DT Journal

LA Russian

AB A model was developed which allows a description of the binding of antibiotics and dyes to nucleic acids (DNA or RNA) in which different regions are involved in the formation of a certain tertiary structure. Interactions between different segments of nucleic acid may contribute to the internal overall energy of the macromol. The case when the tertiary structure and the conformational energy of the macromol. are altered upon binding of small mols. is considered. These structural changes affect the shape of the binding isotherm of ligand to the nucleic acid.

Relations are obtained which permit detn. of the dependence of the conformational energy on the degree of binding of ligand to nucleic acid.

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L19 ANSWER 2 OF 15 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS DUPLICATE 2

AN 1994:235427 CAPLUS

DN 120:235427

TI Peptide antibiotics of the tuberactinomycin family as inhibitors of group I intron RNA splicing

AU Wank, Herbert; Rogers, Jeff; Davies, Julian; Schroeder, Renee

CS Inst. Mikrobiol. Genet., Univ. Wien, Vienna, A-1030, Austria

SO J. Mol. Biol. (1994), 236(4), 1001-10

CODEN: JMOBAK; ISSN: 0022-2836

DT Journal

LA English

AB The tuberactinomycins are a group of cyclic peptide antibiotics, which are potent \*\*\*inhibitors\*\*\* of prokaryotic protein synthesis. The authors report the \*\*\*inhibitory\*\*\* effect of viomycin, di-beta.-lysyl-capreomycin IIA and tuberactinomycin A on group I intron self-splicing. They compete with the guanosine cofactor for the G-binding site located in the conserved core of the intron. They are 100-fold more active than all other competitive \*\*\*inhibitors\*\*\* described so far (dGTP, arginine or streptomycin), inhibiting splicing at concns. between 10 and 50 .mu.M. Mutation of the G-binding site leads to partial resistance, and the \*\*\*inhibitory\*\*\* effect of these \*\*\*drugs\*\*\* is dependent on Mg<sup>2+</sup> concn. This suggests that the tuberactinomycins have more than one contact site with the intron \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* : via the G- \*\*\*binding\*\*\* site and via addnl. contacts with the RNA backbone. Positioning the tuberactinomycins in the three-dimensional model of the td intron core suggests that the charged lysyl side-chain (R1) is in contact with the backbone of the P1 helix. Structure/function analyses with various tuberactinomycin analogs with different activities confirm the involvement of this side-chain in inhibition of group I self-splicing. The demonstration of a new class of splicing \*\*\*inhibitors\*\*\*, the peptide antibiotics, illustrates how antibiotics may interact with catalytic RNA.

L19 ANSWER 9 OF 15 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS DUPLICATE 4

AN 1981:77518 CAPLUS

DN 94:77518

TI The translocation inhibitor tuberactinomycin binds to nucleic acids and blocks the in vitro assembly of 50S subunits

AU Yamada, Takeshi; Teshima, Tadashi; Shiba, Tetsuo; Nierhaus, Knud H.

CS Res. Inst. Microbial Dis., Osaka Univ., Suita, 565, Japan

SO Nucleic Acids Res. (1980), 8(23), 5767-77

CODEN: NARHAD; ISSN: 0305-1048

DT Journal

LA English

AB Ribosome binding studies were performed with a  $^{14}\text{C}$ -labeled deriv. of viomycin, tuberactinomycin O (TUM O)(I) [33137-73-4]. TUM O bound to 30 S and 50 S subunits. The \*\*\*binding\*\*\* component was the \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*, since ribosomal proteins did not bind the \*\*\*drug\*\*\*. Other RNAs such as tRNA, phage RNA (MS2), and homopolynucleotides also bound the \*\*\*drug\*\*\*. Striking differences in the binding capacities of the various homopolynucleotides were found. Poly(U) [27416-86-0] bound strongly, poly(G) [25191-14-4] and poly(C) [30811-80-4] bound intermediately, and poly(A) [24937-83-5] showed a very low binding. DNA also bound TUM O, although with native DNA the binding was weak. Finally the effects of viomycin [32988-50-4] on the assembly in vitro of the 50 S subunit from Escherichia coli were tested. A very strong inhibition was found: when the reconstitution was performed at 0.5 times  $10^{-6}\text{M}$  viomycin the particles formed sedimented at about 50 S, but showed a residual activity of  $<10\%$ . The \*\*\*inhibitory\*\*\* power of viomycin with respect to the in vitro assembly is more pronounced than that found in in vitro systems for protein synthesis.

L24 92 BIND (5A) MINOR GROOVE

=> s 124 and rna

152995 RNA

L25 5 L24 AND RNA

=> d 125 1-5 all

L25 ANSWER 1 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1993:530904 CAPLUS

DN 119:130904

TI The search for structure-specific nucleic acid-interactive drugs:  
Effects of compound structure on \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* versus DNA  
interaction strength

AU Wilson, W. David; Ratmeyer, Lynda; Zhao, Min; Strekowski, Lucjan;  
Boykin, David

CS Dep. Chem., Georgia State Univ., Atlanta, GA, 30303, USA

SO Biochemistry (1993), 32(15), 4098-104

CODEN: BICHAW; ISSN: 0006-2960

DT Journal

LA English

CC 1-3 (Pharmacology)

OS CJACS-IMAGE; CJACS

AB The \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* genomes of a no. of pathogenic \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*  
viruses, such as HIV-1, have extensive folded conformations with  
imperfect A-form duplexes that are essential for virus function and  
could serve as targets for structure-specific antiviral drugs. As  
an initial step in the discovery of such drugs, the interactions  
with \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* of a wide variety of compds., which are known to  
\*\*\*bind\*\*\* to DNA in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\*, by  
classical or by threading intercalation, have been evaluated by  
thermal melting and viscometric analyses. The corresponding  
sequence \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* and DNA polymers, poly(A).cntdot.poly(U) and  
poly(dA).cntdot.poly(dT), were used as test systems for anal. of  
\*\*\*RNA\*\*\* binding strength and selectivity. Compds. that  
\*\*\*bind\*\*\* exclusively in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* at  
AT sequences of DNA (e.g., netropsin, distamycin, and a zinc  
porphyrin deriv.) do not have significant interactions with  
\*\*\*RNA\*\*\*. Compds. that \*\*\*bind\*\*\* in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\*  
\*\*\*groove\*\*\* in AT sequences of DNA but have other favorable  
interactions in GC sequences of DNA (e.g., Hoechst 33258, DAPI, and  
other arom. diamidines) can have very strong \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*  
interactions. A group of classical intercalators and a group of  
intercalators with unfused arom. ring systems contain compds. that  
intercalate and have strong interactions with \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*. At



this time, no clear pattern of mol. structure that favors  
\*\*\*RNA\*\*\* over DNA interactions for intercalators has emerged.  
Compds. that bind to DNA by threading intercalation generally bind  
to \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* by the same mode, but none of the threading  
intercalators tested to date have shown selective interactions with  
\*\*\*RNA\*\*\*.

ST antiviral \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* interaction structure  
IT Virucides and Virustats  
    ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* -interactive, structure in relation to)  
IT Ribonucleic acids  
    (antiviral agents binding to, structure in relation to)  
IT Molecular structure-biological activity relationship  
    ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* -interacting, of antiviral agents)  
IT 61-73-4, Methylene blue 65-61-2, Acridine orange 83-89-6,  
Quinacrine 92-31-9, Toluidine blue O 92-62-6, Proflavine  
100-33-4, Pentamidine 135-49-9, Acridine yellow G 230-17-1,  
Benzo[c]cinnoline 519-23-3, Ellipticine 1404-15-5, Nogalamycin  
3546-21-2, Ethidium 6872-73-7, Coralyne 22291-04-9 23214-92-8,  
Adriamycin 23491-45-4, Hoechst 33258 34089-71-9 34089-72-0  
34089-73-1 39389-47-4, Distamycin 40603-58-5, Zn-P 4  
47165-04-8, DAPI 48242-71-3, Ni-P 4 65271-80-9, Mitoxantrone  
73819-26-8 78186-34-2, Bisantrone 80498-71-1 80498-74-4  
108772-82-3 117269-54-2 124959-47-3 133671-66-6 133671-68-8  
138172-26-6 148711-61-9 148726-12-9 149691-35-0, R 11645DA  
    ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* binding by, structure effect on, antiviral design  
    in relation to)

L25 ANSWER 2 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1993:74667 CAPLUS

DN 118:74667

TI Definition of the binding sites of individual zinc fingers in the  
transcription factor IIIA-5S \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* gene complex

AU Clemens, Karen R.; Liao, Xiubei; Wolf, Veronica; Wright, Peter E.;  
Gottesfeld, Joel M.

CS Dep. Mol. Biol., Scripps Res. Inst., La Jolla, CA, 92037, USA

SO Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U. S. A. (1992), 89(22), 10822-6

CODEN: PNASA6; ISSN: 0027-8424

DT Journal

LA English

CC 3-4 (Biochemical Genetics)

AB A series of polypeptides contg. increasing nos. of zinc fingers of  
Xenopus transcription factor IIIA has been generated and binding to  
the 5S \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* gene internal control region has been studied  
in order to elucidate the mode of interaction of the individual  
fingers with DNA. By using a combination of DNase I footprinting,  
methylation interference, and differential binding to mixts. of DNA  
fragment differing in length by single base pairs, the binding sites

for individual fingers have been defined. These results have led to a model for the interaction of transcription factor IIIA with the internal control region in which fingers 1-3 bind in the major groove of the promoter C block, fingers 7-9 bind in the major groove of the A block, and finger 5 binds in the major groove of the intermediate element. Fingers 4 and 6 each \*\*\*bind\*\*\* across the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\*, spanning these promoter elements.

ST transcription factor TFIIIA zinc finger binding; rRNA gene TFIIIA zinc finger site

IT Xenopus

(5 S rRNA gene of, transcription factor TFIIIA zinc finger domains binding to, sites for)

IT Gene, animal

(for 5S rRNA, of Xenopus, transcription factor TFIIIA zinc finger domain binding sites in)

IT Deoxyribonucleic acid sequences

(of 5S rRNA gene internal control region, of Xenopus, transcription factor TFIIIA binding sites in relation to)

IT Ribonucleic acids, ribosomal

(5 S, gene for, of Xenopus, transcription factor TFIIIA zinc finger domain binding sites in)

IT Genetic element

(ICR (internal control region), in 5 S rRNA gene of Xenopus, binding sites for transcription factor TFIIIA zinc finger domains in)

IT Ribonucleic acid formation factors

(TFIIIA (transcription factor IIIA), zinc fingers of, of Xenopus, binding sites in 5S rRNA gene for)

IT Genetic element

(promoter, of 5 S rRNA gene of Xenopus, transcription factor TFIIIA zinc finger domains binding to, sites for)

IT Conformation and Conformers

(zinc-finger motif, in Xenopus transcription factor TFIIIA, 5 S rRNA gene binding sites for)

L25 ANSWER 3 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1991:669973 CAPLUS

DN 115:269973

TI Molecular recognition between ligands and nucleic acids: DNA binding characteristics of analogs of Hoechst 33258 designed to exhibit altered base and sequence recognition

AU Rao, K. Ekambareswara; Lown, J. William

CS Dep. Chem., Univ. Alberta, Edmonton, AB, T6G 2G2, Can.

SO Chem. Res. Toxicol. (1991), 4(6), 661-9

CODEN: CRTOEC; ISSN: 0893-228X

DT Journal

LA English

CC 1-3 (Pharmacology)

OS CJACS

GI Diagram(s) available in offline prints and/or printed CA Issue.

AB The DNA binding characteristics of new analogs of Hoechst 33258 (I), contg. pyridine and benzoxazole units and designed for altered base specificity, were evaluated using UV, fluorescence, and CD studies. Like Hoechst 33258 the new analogs also \*\*\*bind\*\*\* through the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of B-DNA in a nonintercalative fashion. The interaction of the compds. with poly(dA-dT) is salt independent. The studies with poly(dA-dT), ctDNA, and poly(dG-dC) indicated a decrease in the relative binding strength of the new analogs to DNAs compared with the parent mol., Hoechst 33258. Compds. II and III showed acceptance of GC bases adjacent to AT base pairs. None of the compds. studied exhibited affinity for A-DNA, double-stranded \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*, or Z-DNA. Structure-DNA binding relationships of the new analogs compared with their parent mol., Hoechst 33258, are discussed.

ST Hoechst 33258 analog DNA binding structure; conformation DNA ligand binding

IT Conformation and Conformers  
(of DNA, Hoechst 33258 and analogs binding in relation to)

IT Molecular association  
(of Hoechst 33258 analogs with DNA, conformation and structure in relation to)

IT Molecular structure-biological activity relationship  
(DNA-binding, of Hoechst 33258 analogs)

IT 23491-44-3 126824-04-2 126824-05-3 126824-06-4 126824-07-5  
126824-08-6 126848-06-4 126898-32-6  
(binding of, to DNA, conformation and structure in relation to)

IT 26966-61-0 36786-90-0  
(double-stranded, Hoechst 33258 and analogs binding to, conformation and structure in relation to)

L25 ANSWER 4 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS

AN 1989:208833 CAPLUS

DN 110:208833

TI Specific activation of open complex formation at an Escherichia coli promoter by oligo(N-methylpyrrolocarboxamide)s: effects of peptide length and identification of DNA target sites

AU Martello, Pamela A.; Bruzik, James P.; DeHaseth, Pieter; Youngquist, R. Scott; Dervan, Peter B.

CS Sch. Med., Case West. Reserve Univ., Cleveland, OH, 44106, USA

SO Biochemistry (1989), 28(10), 4455-61  
CODEN: BICHAW; ISSN: 0006-2960

DT Journal

LA English

CC 9-15 (Biochemical Methods)  
 Section cross-reference(s): 3, 6

OS CJACS

AB It was shown that open complex formation by \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase at a promoter contg. a block substitution of nonalternating AT sequences in the spacer DNA sepg. the contacted -10 and -35 regions could be accelerated by distamycin. No stimulation was obsd. at a promoter with a substitution of alternating AT base pairs in the same region or at the promoter with wild-type spacer. The effect of distamycin [tris(N-methylpyrrolicarboamide), formally a P3] was compared with that of its extended homologs P4, P5, and P6. The stimulatory potential of these synthetic oligopeptides that \*\*\*bind\*\*\* in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of DNA ranks in the order P4 > distamycin, P5 > P6. The interaction of these peptides with the 3 promoters was studied by monitoring the positions of the promoter DNA protected from methidiumpropyl-EDTA-Fe(II) cleavage in the presence of different concns. of ligand. Apparently, a higher affinity of oligopeptide for the spacer DNA than for the -10 and/or -35 region is a necessary, but not sufficient, condition for stimulation. Different patterns of protected DNA regions are seen with each of the 3 promoters; with distamycin, P4, and P5, a unique arrangement of protected regions is obsd. for the variant contg. nonalternating AT base pairs in its spacer DNA. Thus, differences in the ways the minor-groove binders interact with each of the promoter variants account for the obsd. differential stimulation. Apparently, it is a ligand-induced structural change in the nonalternating AT DNA that is responsible for activation of open complex formation at the promoter contg. this substitution.

ST \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase complex promoter distamycin; Escherichia promoter complex formation peptide; methylpyrrolicarboxamide promoter complex activation

IT Escherichia coli  
 (open complex formation at promoter of, activation of, by distamycin and homologs, peptide length and DNA target site in relation to)

IT Gene and Genetic element, microbial  
 (promoter, pRM, open complex formation at, activation of, of Escherichia coli by distamycin and homologs, peptide length and DNA target site in relation to)

IT 9014-24-8D, \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase, complexes with Escherichia coli promoter  
 (formation of open, activation of, by distamycin and homologs, peptide length and DNA target site in relation to)

IT 120229-11-0 120229-12-1 120229-13-2  
 (genetic promoter contg., open complex formation at, activation of, by distamycin and homologs, peptide length and DNA target

site in relation to)

IT - 90138-97-9 120145-57-5 120145-58-6  
 (open complex formation and Escherichia coli promoter response  
 to, peptide length and DNA target site in relation to)

IT 636-47-5, Distamycin A  
 (open complex formation at Escherichia coli promoter response to,  
 peptide length and DNA target site in relation to)

L25 ANSWER 5 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 1995 ACS  
 AN 1971:444807 CAPLUS  
 DN 75:44807  
 TI Effect of a reporter molecule on chromatin template activity  
 AU Farber, John; Baserga, Renato; Gabbay, Edmond J.  
 CS Sch. Med., Temple Univ., Philadelphia, Pa., USA  
 SO Biochem. Biophys. Res. Commun. (1971), 43(3), 675-81  
 CODEN: BBRCA9  
 DT Journal  
 LA English  
 CC 2 (General Biochemistry)  
 AB A reporter mol., said to \*\*\*bind\*\*\* exclusively to the  
 \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of DNA, does not interfere with the  
 transcription of S3 HeLa cell chromatin by an exogenous Escherichia  
 coli \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase. This is in contrast to the marked  
 inhibition of chromatin template activity by actinomycin D. This  
 suggests that the chromatin proteins regulating transcription by  
 \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase are located in the major groove of DNA.  
 ST chromatin transcription \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase; actinomycin DNA  
 transcription  
 IT Proteins  
 (of chromatin major groove, in template activity regulation)  
 IT Chromatin  
 (template activity of, proteins of major groove in regulation of)

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=> s rna and minor groove

190453 RNA  
55807 MINOR  
3400 GROOVE  
1053 MINOR GROOVE  
(MINOR (W) GROOVE)

L1 90 RNA AND MINOR GROOVE

=> s l1 and bind

41895 BIND

L2 10 L1 AND BIND

=> d l2 1-10 all

L2 ANSWER 1 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 95281599 MEDLINE

TI A peptide interaction in the major groove of \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* resembles  
protein interactions in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of DNA.

AU Chen L; Frankel A D

CS Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics, University of California,  
San Francisco 94141, USA.

NC AI29135 (NIAID)

AI08591 (NIAID)

SO Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A, (1995 May 23) 92 (11) 5077-81.

Journal code: PV3. ISSN: 0027-8424.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals; Cancer Journals

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AB A 17-amino acid arginine-rich peptide from the bovine  
immunodeficiency virus Tat protein has been shown to \*\*\*bind\*\*\*  
with high affinity and specificity to bovine immunodeficiency virus  
transactivation response element (TAR) \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*, making  
contacts in the \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* major groove near a bulge. We show  
that, as in other peptide- \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* complexes, arginine and  
threonine side chains make important contributions to binding but,  
unexpectedly, that one isoleucine and three glycine residues also  
are critical. The isoleucine side chain may intercalate into a  
hydrophobic pocket in the \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*. Glycine residues may allow  
the peptide to \*\*\*bind\*\*\* deeply within the \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* major  
groove and may help determine the conformation of the peptide.  
Similar features have been observed in protein-DNA and drug-DNA

complexes in the DNA \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* , including hydrophobic interactions and binding deep within the groove, suggesting that the major groove of \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* and \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of DNA may share some common recognition features.

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Amino Acid Sequence

Base Sequence

Circular Dichroism

DNA, Viral: CH, chemistry

\*DNA, Viral: ME, metabolism

\*Gene Products, tat: CH, chemistry

\*Gene Products, tat: ME, metabolism

HIV: ME, metabolism

\*Immunodeficiency Virus, Bovine: ME, metabolism

Molecular Sequence Data

Mutagenesis, Insertional

Nucleic Acid Conformation

Peptide Fragments: CH, chemistry

\*Peptide Fragments: ME, metabolism

Protein Conformation

Protein Denaturation

Recombinant Proteins: CH, chemistry

Recombinant Proteins: ME, metabolism

\*\*\*\*RNA-Binding Proteins: CH, chemistry\*\*\*

\*\*\* RNA-Binding Proteins: ME, metabolism\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*RNA, Viral: CH, chemistry\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*RNA, Viral: ME, metabolism\*\*\*

Thermodynamics

RN \*\*\*136628-24-5 (TAR RNA-binding protein)\*\*\*

CN 0 (DNA, Viral); 0 (Gene Products, tat); 0 (Peptide Fragments); 0 (Recombinant Proteins); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* -Binding Proteins); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* , Viral)

L2 ANSWER 2 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 95249367 MEDLINE

TI Transferring the purine 2-amino group from guanines to adenines in DNA changes the sequence-specific binding of antibiotics.

AU Bailly C; Waring M J

CS Department of Pharmacology, University of Cambridge, UK.

SO Nucleic Acids Res, (1995 Mar 25) 23 (6) 885-92.

Journal code: O8L. ISSN: 0305-1048.

CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals; Cancer Journals

EM 9508

AB The proposition that the 2-amino group of guanine plays a critical

role in determining how antibiotics recognise their binding sites in DNA has been tested by relocating it, using tyrT DNA derivative molecules substituted with inosine plus 2,6-diaminopurine (DAP). Irrespective of their mode of interaction with DNA, such GC-specific antibiotics as actinomycin, echinomycin, mithramycin and chromomycin find new binding sites associated with DAP-containing sequences and are excluded from former canonical sites containing I.C base pairs. The converse is found to be the case for a group of normally AT-selective ligands which \*\*\*bind\*\*\* in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of the helix, such as netropsin: their preferred sites become shifted to IC-rich clusters. Thus the binding sites of all these antibiotics strictly follow the placement of the purine 2-amino group, which accordingly must serve as both a positive and negative effector. The footprinting profile of the 'threading' intercalator nogalamycin is potentiated in DAP plus inosine-substituted DNA but otherwise remains much the same as seen with natural DNA. The interaction of echinomycin with sites containing the TpDAP step in doubly substituted DNA appears much stronger than its interaction with CpG-containing sites in natural DNA.

CT Check Tags: Support, Non-U.S. Gov't  
 Adenine: CH, chemistry  
 \*Antibiotics, Antineoplastic: ME, metabolism  
 \*Antibiotics, Peptide: ME, metabolism  
 Base Sequence  
 Binding Sites  
 Dinucleoside Phosphates: ME, metabolism  
 DNA: CH, chemistry  
 \*DNA: ME, metabolism  
 Guanine: CH, chemistry  
 Inosine: CH, chemistry  
 Intercalating Agents  
 Ligands  
 Molecular Sequence Data  
 \*\*\* RNA, Transfer, Tyr: GE, genetics\*\*\*  
 \*2-Aminopurine: AA, analogs & derivatives  
 2-Aminopurine: CH, chemistry  
 2-Aminopurine: ME, metabolism  
 RN 1904-98-9 (2,6-diaminopurine); 2382-65-2 (cytidyl-3'-5'-  
 guanosine); 452-06-2 (2-Aminopurine); 58-63-9 (Inosine); 73-24-5  
 (Adenine); 73-40-5 (Guanine); 9007-49-2 (DNA)  
 CN 0 (Antibiotics, Antineoplastic); 0 (Antibiotics, Peptide); 0  
 (Dinucleoside Phosphates); 0 (Intercalating Agents); 0 (Ligands); 0  
 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* , Transfer, Tyr)  
 L2 ANSWER 3 OF 10 MEDLINE  
 AN 94316511 MEDLINE



TI The \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* polymerase I transcription factor UBF is a sequence-tolerant HMG-box protein that can recognize structured nucleic acids.

AU Copenhaver G P; Putnam C D; Denton M L; Pikaard C S

CS Biology Department, Washington University, St Louis, MO 63130.

SO Nucleic Acids Res, (1994 Jul 11) 22 (13) 2651-7.  
Journal code: O8L. ISSN: 0305-1048.

CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals; Cancer Journals

EM 9410

AB Upstream Binding Factor (UBF) is important for activation of ribosomal \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* transcription and belongs to a family of proteins containing nucleic acid binding domains, termed HMG-boxes, with similarity to High Mobility Group (HMG) chromosomal proteins. Proteins in this family can be sequence-specific or highly sequence-tolerant binding proteins. We show that *Xenopus* UBF can be classified among the sequence-tolerant class. Methylation interference assays using enhancer DNA probes failed to reveal any critical nucleotides required for UBF binding. Selection by UBF of optimal binding sites among a population of enhancer oligonucleotides with randomized sequences also failed to reveal any consensus sequence. The \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* specific drugs chromomycin A3, distamycin A and actinomycin D competed against UBF for enhancer binding, suggesting that UBF, like other HMG-box proteins, probably interacts with the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\*. UBF also shares with other HMG box proteins the ability to \*\*\*bind\*\*\* synthetic cruciform DNA. However, UBF appears different from other HMG-box proteins in that it can \*\*\*bind\*\*\* both \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* (tRNA) and DNA. The sequence-tolerant nature of UBF-nucleic acid interactions may accommodate the rapid evolution of ribosomal \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* gene sequences.

CT Check Tags: Animal; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't  
Base Sequence  
Chromomycin A3: PD, pharmacology  
Dactinomycin: PD, pharmacology  
Distamycins: PD, pharmacology  
\*DNA: ME, metabolism  
\*DNA-Binding Proteins: ME, metabolism  
Enhancer Elements (Genetics)  
\*High Mobility Group Proteins: ME, metabolism  
Methylation  
Molecular Sequence Data  
Nucleic Acid Conformation  
\*\*\*RNA Polymerase I: ME, metabolism\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*RNA, Transfer: ME, metabolism\*\*\*  
 \*Transcription Factors: ME, metabolism  
 Xenopus laevis  
 RN 50-76-0 (Dactinomycin); 636-47-5 (distamycin A); 7059-24-7  
 (Chromomycin A3); 9007-49-2 (DNA); \*\*\*9014-25-9 (RNA, Transfer)\*\*\*  
 CN EC 2.7.7.- ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* Polymerase I); 0 (transcription factor  
 UBF); 0 (Distamycins); 0 (DNA-Binding Proteins); 0 (High Mobility  
 Group Proteins); 0 (Transcription Factors)  
  
 L2 ANSWER 4 OF 10 MEDLINE  
 AN 94271753 MEDLINE  
 TI Effects of \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* binding drugs on the  
 interaction of TATA box binding protein and TFIIA with DNA.  
 AU Chiang S Y; Welch J; Rauscher F J 3rd; Beerman T A  
 CS Department of Experimental Therapeutics, Roswell Park Cancer  
 Institute, Buffalo, New York 14263.  
 NC CA16056 (NCI)  
 CA09072 (NCI)  
 CA52009 (NCI)  
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 SO Biochemistry, (1994 Jun 14) 33 (23) 7033-40.  
 Journal code: A0G. ISSN: 0006-2960.  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 9409  
 AB TBP (TATA box binding protein), a general transcription factor  
 required for proper initiation of gene expression by \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*  
 polymerase II, and \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* binding drugs  
 (MGBs) both interact with DNA within the \*\*\*minor\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*groove\*\*\* at AT sites. This study has evaluated MGBs as  
 inhibitors of DNA/TBP complex formation by gel mobility shift  
 assays. Our results demonstrate that reversible MGBs (DAPI,  
 distamycin A, Hoechst 33258, and netropsin) are effective inhibitors  
 of the formation of DNA/TBP complex and that distamycin A is the  
 most potent (0.16 microM inhibits TBP complex formation by 50%).  
 CC-1065, a drug that covalently binds to DNA in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*groove\*\*\*, is even more active than distamycin A (0.00085  
 microM inhibits TBP complex formation by 50%). Significantly more  
 CC-1065 (0.009 microM) is required to break up preformed DNA/TBP  
 complex compared to the drug concentration needed to prevent complex  
 formation. In comparison, the order of drug addition has little  
 influence on the ability of reversible MGBs to disrupt DNA/TBP  
 complex. In the presence of TFIIA, a factor that enhances TBP  
 association with DNA, greater drug concentrations (distamycin A and  
 CC-1065, respectively) are needed to disrupt a preformed complex of

DNA/TBP/TFIIA. In comparison to MGBs, drugs capable of binding to DNA by intercalation are generally weaker at blocking TBP complex formation except for hedamycin, which can intercalate and irreversibly \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to DNA and is as effective as reversible MGBs.

CT Check Tags: Support, Non-U.S. Gov't; Support, U.S. Gov't, P.H.S.  
Base Sequence  
Distamycins: PD, pharmacology  
DNA: CH, chemistry  
\*DNA: DE, drug effects  
\*DNA: ME, metabolism  
\*DNA-Binding Proteins: ME, metabolism  
Hoe 33258: PD, pharmacology  
Indoles: PD, pharmacology  
Intercalating Agents: PD, pharmacology  
Leucomycins: PD, pharmacology  
Molecular Sequence Data  
Netropsin: PD, pharmacology  
Protein Binding: DE, drug effects  
\*Transcription Factors: ME, metabolism  
\*TATA Box  
RN 1438-30-8 (Netropsin); 23491-45-4 (Hoe 33258); 47165-04-8 (DAPI);  
636-47-5 (distamycin A); 69866-21-3 (CC 1065); 9007-49-2 (DNA)  
CN 0 (transcription factor TFIIA); 0 (Distamycins); 0 (DNA-Binding  
Proteins); 0 (Indoles); 0 (Intercalating Agents); 0 (Leucomycins); 0  
(Transcription Factors); 0 (TATA-box-binding protein)  
L2 ANSWER 5 OF 10 MEDLINE  
AN 94163770 MEDLINE  
TI 3T3 NIH murine fibroblasts and B78 murine melanoma cells expressing  
the Escherichia coli N3-methyladenine-DNA glycosylase I do not  
become resistant to alkylating agents.  
AU Imperatori L; Damia G; Taverna P; Garattini E; Citti L; Boldrini L;  
D'Incalci M  
CS Istituto di Ricerche Farmacologiche Mario Negri, Milan, Italy.  
SO Carcinogenesis, (1994 Mar) 15 (3) 533-7.  
Journal code: C9T. ISSN: 0143-3334.  
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom  
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
LA English  
FS Priority Journals; Cancer Journals  
EM 9406  
AB The role of alkylation of the N3 position of adenine in the  
cytotoxicity of alkylating agents in mammalian cells is still  
undefined. By co-transfecting NIH3T3 murine fibroblast and murine  
B78 H1 melanoma cells with pSG5tag and pSV2neo, we obtained clones  
expressing the mRNA of the bacterial tag gene coding for

N3-methyladenine-DNA glycosylase I (Gly I), which specifically repairs N3-methyladenine. The levels of Gly I were 400 times higher in NIH3T3 pSG5tag (clone 3.9.4) and 12-33 times higher in B78 H1 tag clones (2A4, 2A6, 2C3 and 2D1) than in the respective control cells. The sensitivity to alkylating agents was evaluated in tag-expressing cells in comparison with pSG5, pSV2neo co-transfected control cells. As regards the cytotoxic activity of methylating agents (N-methylnitrosourea, N-methyl-N'-nitro-N-nitrosoguanidine, dimethylsulfate and temozolomide) and other alkylators with different structure and different interactions with DNA such as CC-1065 and FCE-24517 ( \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* binders known to \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to N3 of adenine), 4-[bis(2-chloroethyl)amino]-L-phenylalanine and cis-diamminedichloroplatinum II, cytotoxicity was the same for tag-expressing and non-expressing cells. These results suggest that the increased expression of N3-methyladenine-DNA glycosylase is not necessarily a crucial mechanism for the resistance of cells to alkylating agents.

CT Check Tags: Animal; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't

\*Adenine: AA, analogs & derivatives

Alkylating Agents: PD, pharmacology

Drug Resistance: GE, genetics

\*Escherichia coli: EN, enzymology

Escherichia coli: GE, genetics

Gene Expression Regulation, Enzymologic

\*Genes, Bacterial

Melanoma: DT, drug therapy

\*Melanoma: EN, enzymology

Melanoma: GE, genetics

Mice

Nucleosidases: GE, genetics

\*Nucleosidases: ME, metabolism

\*\*\* RNA, Messenger: ME, metabolism\*\*\*

Transfection

Tumor Cells, Cultured

3T3 Cells: DE, drug effects

\*3T3 Cells: EN, enzymology

RN 73-24-5 (Adenine)

CN EC 3.2.2. (Nucleosidases); 0 (Alkylating Agents); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* , Messenger)

GEN tag

L2 ANSWER 6 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 93229513 MEDLINE

TI The search for structure-specific nucleic acid-interactive drugs: effects of compound structure on \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* versus DNA interaction strength.

AU Wilson W D; Ratmeyer L; Zhao M; Strekowski L; Boykin D

CS Department of Chemistry, Georgia State University, Atlanta 30303.  
NC AI-27196 (NIAID)  
SO Biochemistry, (1993 Apr 20) 32 (15) 4098-104.  
Journal code: A0G. ISSN: 0006-2960.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 9307

AB The \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* genomes of a number of pathogenic \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* viruses, such as HIV-1, have extensive folded conformations with imperfect A-form duplexes that are essential for virus function and could serve as targets for structure-specific antiviral drugs. As an initial step in the discovery of such drugs, the interactions with \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* of a wide variety of compounds, which are known to \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to DNA in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\*, by classical or by threading intercalation, have been evaluated by thermal melting and viscometric analyses. The corresponding sequence \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* and DNA polymers, poly(A).poly(U) and poly(dA).poly(dT), were used as test systems for analysis of \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* binding strength and selectivity. Compounds that \*\*\*bind\*\*\* exclusively in the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* in AT sequences of DNA (e.g., netropsin, distamycin, and a zinc porphyrin derivative) do not have significant interactions with \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*. Compounds that \*\*\*bind\*\*\* in the minor groove in AT sequences of DNA but have other favorable interactions in GC sequences of DNA (e.g., Hoechst 33258, DAPI, and other aromatic diamidines) can have very strong \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* interactions. A group of classical intercalators and a group of intercalators with unfused aromatic ring systems contain compounds that intercalate and have strong interactions with \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*. At this time, no clear pattern of molecular structure that favors \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* over DNA interactions for intercalators has emerged. Compounds that \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to DNA by threading intercalation generally \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* by the same mode, but none of the threading intercalators tested to date have shown selective interactions with \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*.

CT Check Tags: Comparative Study; Support, U.S. Gov't, P.H.S.

\*DNA: CH, chemistry

Genome, Viral

HIV-1: GE, genetics

\*Intercalating Agents

Molecular Structure

Nucleic Acid Conformation

\*Poly dA-dT: CH, chemistry

\*Poly A-U: CH, chemistry

\*\*\*RNA: CH, chemistry\*\*\*

\*\*\* RNA, Viral: GE, genetics\*\*\*

Structure-Activity Relationship

Viscosity

RN 24936-38-7 (Poly A-U); 26966-61-0 (Poly dA-dT); 9007-49-2 (DNA)  
CN 0 (Intercalating Agents); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* ); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* ,  
Viral)

L2 ANSWER 7 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 93066335 MEDLINE

TI Definition of the binding sites of individual zinc fingers in the  
transcription factor IIIA-5S \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* gene complex.

AU Clemens K R; Liao X; Wolf V; Wright P E; Gottesfeld J M

CS Department of Molecular Biology, Scripps Research Institute, La  
Jolla, CA 92037.

NC GM36643 (NIGMS)

GM26453 (NIGMS)

F32 CA09023 (NCI)

SO Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A, (1992 Nov 15) 89 (22) 10822-6.

Journal code: PV3. ISSN: 0027-8424.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals; Cancer Journals

EM 9302

AB A series of polypeptides containing increasing numbers of zinc  
fingers of Xenopus transcription factor IIIA has been generated and  
binding to the 5S \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* gene internal control region has  
been studied in order to elucidate the mode of interaction of the  
individual fingers with DNA. By using a combination of DNase I  
footprinting, methylation interference, and differential binding to  
mixtures of DNA fragments differing in length by single base pairs,  
the binding sites for individual fingers have been defined. These  
results have led to a model for the interaction of transcription  
factor IIIA with the internal control region in which fingers 1-3  
\*\*\*bind\*\*\* in the major groove of the promoter C block, fingers  
7-9 \*\*\*bind\*\*\* in the major groove of the A block, and finger 5  
binds in the major groove of the intermediate element. Fingers 4 and  
6 each \*\*\*bind\*\*\* across the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* ,  
spanning these promoter elements.

CT Check Tags: Animal; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't; Support, U.S. Gov't,  
P.H.S.

Amino Acid Sequence

Base Sequence

Binding Sites

Cloning, Molecular

\*DNA, Ribosomal: GE, genetics

\*DNA, Ribosomal: ME, metabolism

Escherichia coli: GE, genetics

Methylation  
 Models, Structural  
 Molecular Sequence Data  
 Nucleic Acid Conformation  
 Oligodeoxyribonucleotides  
 Polymerase Chain Reaction: MT, methods  
 Protein Conformation  
 Restriction Mapping  
 \*\*\*\*RNA, Ribosomal, 5S: GE, genetics\*\*\*  
 Transcription Factors: GE, genetics  
 \*Transcription Factors: ME, metabolism  
 Xenopus  
 Zinc Fingers: GE, genetics  
 \*Zinc Fingers: PH, physiology

CN 0 (transcription factor TFIIIA); 0 (DNA, Ribosomal); 0  
 (Oligodeoxyribonucleotides); 0 ( \*\*\*\*RNA\*\*\* , Ribosomal, 5S); 0  
 (Transcription Factors)

L2 ANSWER 8 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 92223348 MEDLINE

TI Molecular recognition between ligands and nucleic acids: DNA binding  
 characteristics of analogues of Hoechst 33258 designed to exhibit  
 altered base and sequence recognition.

AU Rao K E; Lown J W

CS Department of Chemistry, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada...

SO Chem Res Toxicol, (1991 Nov-Dec) 4 (6) 661-9.

Journal code: A5X. ISSN: 0893-228X.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 9207

AB The DNA binding characteristics of new analogues (2-8) of Hoechst  
 33258 (1), containing pyridine and benzoxazole units and designed  
 for altered base specificity, were evaluated using UV, fluorescence,  
 and circular dichroism studies. Like Hoechst 33258 the new analogues  
 also \*\*\*bind\*\*\* through the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of  
 B-DNA in a nonintercalative fashion. The interaction of the  
 compounds with poly(dA-dT) is salt independent. The studies with  
 poly(dA-dT), ct DNA, and poly(dG-dC) indicated a decrease in the  
 relative binding strength of the new analogues to DNAs compared with  
 the parent molecule, Hoechst 33258. Compounds 5 and 7 showed  
 acceptance of GC bases adjacent to AT base pairs. None of the  
 compounds studied exhibited affinity for A-DNA, double-stranded  
 \*\*\*\*RNA\*\*\*\* , or Z-DNA. Structure-DNA binding relationships of the  
 new analogues compared with their parent molecule, Hoechst 33258,  
 are discussed.

CT Check Tags: Support, Non-U.S. Gov't  
Base Sequence  
Circular Dichroism  
\*DNA: ME, metabolism  
\*Hoe 33258: ME, metabolism  
Nucleic Acid Conformation  
Osmolar Concentration  
Poly dA-dT: ME, metabolism  
Polydeoxyribonucleotides: ME, metabolism  
Structure-Activity Relationship

RN 23491-45-4 (Hoe 33258); 26966-61-0 (Poly dA-dT); 29855-95-6  
(poly(dC-dG)); 9007-49-2 (DNA)

CN 0 (Polydeoxyribonucleotides)

L2 ANSWER 9 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 92073376 MEDLINE

TI Structural polymorphism in the major groove of a 5S \*\*\*RNA\*\*\*  
gene complements the zinc finger domains of transcription factor  
IIIA.

AU Huber P W; Morii T; Mei H Y; Barton J K

CS Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame,  
IN 46556.

NC GM33309 (NIGMS)  
CA33620 (NCI)  
GM38200 (NIGMS)

SO Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A, (1991 Dec 1) 88 (23) 10801-5.  
Journal code: PV3. ISSN: 0027-8424.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals; Cancer Journals

EM 9203

AB Metal complexes that \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to DNA on the basis of  
shape-selection have been used to map the conformational features of  
the DNA binding site for transcription factor IIIA. Conformationally  
distinct segments are detected on the 5S rRNA gene that correspond  
closely to the binding sites identified for the individual zinc  
finger domains of the protein. The local conformations are  
characterized by a major groove opened because of a change in base  
pair inclination and/or displacement at a central  
5'-pyrimidine-purine-3' step, flanked by a widened \*\*\*minor\*\*\*  
\*\*\*groove\*\*\*, as would arise at the junctions between alternating  
B- and A-like DNA segments. Docking experiments with a consensus  
structure of a zinc finger reveal that the mixed A-B binding site  
accommodates the peptide domain better than either canonical B- or  
A-DNA helices. The close structural matching of the conformational  
variations in the 5S rDNA both to the proposed sites of zinc finger



binding and to the shape of an individual zinc finger domain points to DNA structural polymorphism as providing an important determinant in recognition. In particular, shape selection in the 5' half of the internal control region may orient the multiple finger domains.

CT Check Tags: Animal; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't; Support, U.S. Gov't, P.H.S.

Base Sequence

Binding Sites

Computer Simulation

\*Genes, Structural

Models, Molecular

Molecular Sequence Data

Nucleic Acid Conformation

Plasmids

\*Polymorphism (Genetics)

Protein Conformation

Restriction Mapping

\*\*\*RNA, Ribosomal, 5S: GE, genetics\*\*\*

\*Transcription Factors: ME, metabolism

Xenopus

\*Zinc Fingers: GE, genetics

CN 0 (transcription factor TFIIIA); 0 (Plasmids); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* , Ribosomal, 5S); 0 (Transcription Factors)

L2 ANSWER 10 OF 10 MEDLINE

AN 90344837 MEDLINE

TI Detection of drug binding to DNA by hydroxyl radical footprinting. Relationship of distamycin binding sites to DNA structure and positioned nucleosomes on 5S \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* genes of Xenopus.

AU Churchill M E; Hayes J J; Tullius T D

CS Department of Chemistry, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland 21218.

NC CA 37444 (NCI)

GM 40894 (NIGMS)

CA 01208 (NCI)

SO Biochemistry, (1990 Jun 26) 29 (25) 6043-50.

Journal code: A0G. ISSN: 0006-2960.

CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LA English

FS Priority Journals

EM 9011

AB We report the use of hydroxyl radical footprinting to analyze the interaction of distamycin and actinomycin with the 5S ribosomal \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* genes of Xenopus. There is a qualitative difference in the hydroxyl radical footprints of the two drugs. Distamycin gives a conventional (albeit high-resolution) footprint, while actinomycin

does not protect DNA from hydroxyl radical attack, but instead induces discrete sites of hyperreactivity. We find concentration-dependent changes in the locations of distamycin binding sites on the somatic 5S gene of *Xenopus borealis*. A high-affinity site, containing a G.C base pair, is replaced at higher levels of bound drug by a periodic array of different lower affinity sites that coincide with the places where the \*\*\*minor\*\*\* \*\*\*groove\*\*\* of the DNA would face in toward a nucleosome core that is known to \*\*\*bind\*\*\* to the same sequence. These results suggest that distamycin recognizes potential binding sites more by the shape of the DNA than by the specific sequence that is contained in the site and that structures of many sequences are deformable to a shape that allows drug binding. We discuss the utility of hydroxyl radical footprinting of distamycin for investigating the underlying structure of DNA.

CT Check Tags: Animal; Comparative Study; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't;  
Support, U.S. Gov't, P.H.S.  
Actinomycin: ME, metabolism  
Base Composition  
Base Sequence  
Binding Sites  
Cytosine: ME, metabolism  
Distamycins: ME, metabolism  
\*DNA: ME, metabolism  
Edetic Acid  
Guanine: ME, metabolism  
Hydroxides  
Kinetics  
Methods  
Molecular Sequence Data  
Nucleic Acid Conformation  
Nucleosomes: PH, physiology  
\*\*\*RNA, Ribosomal: GE, genetics\*\*\*  
\*\*\*RNA, Ribosomal, 5S: GE, genetics\*\*\*  
\*Xenopus: GE, genetics  
RN 1402-38-6 (Actinomycin); 3352-57-6 (Hydroxyl Radical); 60-00-4  
(Edetic Acid); 71-30-7 (Cytosine); 73-40-5 (Guanine); 9007-49-2  
(DNA)  
CN 0 (methidiumpropyl-EDTA-iron(II)); 0 (Distamycins); 0 (Hydroxides);  
0 (Nucleosomes); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* , Ribosomal); 0 ( \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* ,  
Ribosomal, 5S)

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FILE 'CAPLUS'

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FILE 'BIOTECHDS'

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TOTAL FOR ALL FILES  
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FILE 'MEDLINE'  
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FILE 'EMBASE'  
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FILE 'CAPLUS'  
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TOTAL FOR ALL FILES  
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FILE 'CAPLUS'  
L38 3 SEARCH RNA AND RATIONAL AND REVIEW RAN=(1985-1990)  
FILE 'BIOTECHDS'  
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AB An EMBO workshop was held on the replication of prokaryotic DNA. Technically there has been a very rapid progress in the understanding of replication control during the last couple of years. This is due to the appearance of a whole series of new techniques: analysis by restriction endonucleases, cloning of DNA fragments on vectors, DNA and \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* nucleotide sequence analysis, computer-based interpretation of nucleotide sequences, in vitro replication systems, vectors that can be used to analyze for promoters and expression of open reading frames in the nucleotide sequence, etc. Several patterns emerge for replication control by analysis of the basic replicon of several plasmids for DNA nucleotide sequence, promoters, putative genes, transcripts, polypeptides, control functions, etc.: replication control involves at least one plasmid-coded inhibitory function; the target for the \*\*\*inhibitor\*\*\* is not the origin itself; the inhibitors may be small, basic proteins (80-100 aminoacids) or small, unstable \*\*\*RNA\*\*\* molecules (80-110 nucleotides). The workshop gave a useful updating of the current knowledge about replication control. (46 ref)

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US PAT NO: 5,436,321 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L1: 1 of 29

DATE ISSUED: Jul. 25, 1995

TITLE: Antibodies to the lipopolysaccharide bonding opsonin  
septin

INVENTOR: Samuel D. Wright, Larchmont, NY

ASSIGNEE: The Rockefeller University, New York, NY (U.S. corp.)

APPL-NO: 07/916,160

DATE FILED: Jul. 31, 1992

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US PAT NO: 5,424,200 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L1: 2 of 29

DATE ISSUED: Jun. 13, 1995

TITLE: Method for enhanced expression of a DNA sequence of  
interest

INVENTOR: Joan C. McPherson, Vancouver, Canada  
Robert Kay, Vancouver, Canada

ASSIGNEE: Monsanto Company, St. Louis, MO (U.S. corp.)

APPL-NO: 08/272,900

DATE FILED: Jul. 11, 1994

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US PAT NO: 5,424,191 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 3 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Jun. 13, 1995  
TITLE: Epithelial cell specific differentiation marker  
INVENTOR: Gaddamanugu L. Prasad, Rockville, MD  
Herbert L. Cooper, Rockville, MD  
ASSIGNEE: The United States of America as represented by the  
Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC  
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APPL-NO: 07/887,072  
DATE FILED: May 20, 1992  
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US PAT NO: 5,422,344 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 4 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Jun. 6, 1995  
TITLE: Method of treating retroviral infections in mammals  
INVENTOR: Esther Priel, Beer Sheva, Israel  
Donald G. Blair, Kensington, MD  
Stephen D. Showalter, Frederick, MD  
ASSIGNEE: The United States of America as represented by the  
Secretary of the Department of Health & Human Services,  
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APPL-NO: 07/520,456  
DATE FILED: May 8, 1990  
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US PAT NO: 5,403,952 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 5 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Apr. 4, 1995  
TITLE: Substituted cyclic derivatives as novel antidegenerative  
agents  
INVENTOR: William Hagmann, Westfield, NJ  
Charles G. Caldwell, Scotch Plains, NJ  
Paul R. Gooley, Westfield, NJ  
ASSIGNEE: Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway, NJ (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 08/133,493  
DATE FILED: Oct. 8, 1993  
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US PAT NO: 5,380,660 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 6 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Jan. 10, 1995  
TITLE: Method of treating serum or serum-containing medium to  
inactivate an inhibitor of hepatocyte differentiation  
INVENTOR: Douglas M. Jefferson, Watertown, MA  
David E. Johnston, Natick, MA  
ASSIGNEE: New England Medical Center Hospitals, Inc., Boston, MA  
(U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/956,595  
DATE FILED: Oct. 5, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 188  
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US PAT NO: 5,370,991 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 7 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Dec. 6, 1994  
TITLE: Cloned gene encoding human monocyte elastase inhibitor  
INVENTOR: Eileen Remold-O'Donnell, Brookline, MA  
ASSIGNEE: The Center for Blood Research, Inc., Boston, MA (U.S.  
corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/755,461  
DATE FILED: Sep. 6, 1991  
ART-UNIT: 187  
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US PAT NO: 5,369,125 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 8 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Nov. 29, 1994  
TITLE: Cholesterol-lowering agents  
INVENTOR: Gregory D. Berger, Belle Mead, NJ  
James D. Bergstrom, Neshanic, NJ  
Tesfaye Biftu, Westfield, NJ  
Robert L. Bugianesi, Colonia, NJ  
Robert M. Burk, Laguna Beach, CA  
Narindar N. Girotra, Old Bridge, NJ  
C. H. Kuo, South Plainfield, NJ  
William H. Parsons, Edison, NJ  
Mitree M. Ponpipom, Branchburg, NJ  
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APPL-NO: 08/033,913  
DATE FILED: Mar. 19, 1993  
ART-UNIT: 126  
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US PAT NO: 5,364,948 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 9 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Nov. 15, 1994  
TITLE: Biologically active compounds isolated from aerobic  
fermentation of *Trichoderma viride*  
INVENTOR: Guy H. Harris, Cranford, NJ  
Deborah Zink, Manalapan, NJ  
E. Tracy T. Jones, Solana Beach, CA  
Yu L. Kong, Edison, NJ  
ASSIGNEE: Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway, NJ (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 08/015,498  
DATE FILED: Feb. 9, 1993  
ART-UNIT: 124  
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US PAT NO: 5,359,142 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 10 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Oct. 25, 1994  
TITLE: Method for enhanced expression of a protein  
INVENTOR: Joan C. McPherson, Vancouver, Canada  
Robert Kay, West Vancouver, Canada  
ASSIGNEE: Monsanto Company, St. Louis, MO (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 08/209,752  
DATE FILED: Mar. 9, 1994  
ART-UNIT: 184  
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US PAT NO: 5,338,663 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 11 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Aug. 16, 1994  
TITLE: Method of identifying inhibitors of .beta.-protein  
esterase activity  
INVENTOR: Huntington Potter, Boston, MA  
Usamah Kayyali, Somerville, MA  
ASSIGNEE: President and Fellows of Harvard College, Cambridge, MA  
(U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/819,361

DATE FILED: Jan. 13, 1992  
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US PAT NO: 5,332,672 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 12 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Jul. 26, 1994  
TITLE: Prevention of ES cell differentiation by ciliary  
neurotrophic factor  
INVENTOR: Joanne Conover, Tarrytown  
George D. Yancopoulos, Tarrytown  
ASSIGNEE: Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Tarrytown, NY (U.S.  
corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/865,878  
DATE FILED: Apr. 9, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 182  
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US PAT NO: 5,322,938 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 13 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Jun. 21, 1994  
TITLE: DNA sequence for enhancing the efficiency of transcription  
INVENTOR: Joan C. McPherson, Vancouver, Canada  
Robert Kay, West Vancouver, Canada  
ASSIGNEE: Monsanto Company, St. Louis, MO (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/977,600  
DATE FILED: Nov. 17, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 184  
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US PAT NO: 5,286,487 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 14 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Feb. 15, 1994  
TITLE: Covalent angiogenin/RNase hybrids  
INVENTOR: Bert L. Vallee, Brookline, MA  
Michael D. Bond, Brighton, MA  
ASSIGNEE: President and Fellows of Harvard College, Cambridge, MA  
(U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/953,555  
DATE FILED: Sep. 29, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 184

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US PAT NO: 5,283,256 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 15 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Feb. 1, 1994  
TITLE: Cholesterol-lowering agents  
INVENTOR: Claude Dufresne, East Brunswick, NJ  
Josep Guarro, Tarragona, Spain  
Leeyuan Huang, Watchung, NJ  
Yu L. Kong, Edison, NJ  
Russell B. Lingham, Watchung, NJ  
Maria S. Meinz, Somerset, NJ  
Keith C. Silverman, Somerset, NJ  
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ASSIGNEE: Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway, NJ (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/918,727  
DATE FILED: Jul. 22, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 126  
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US PAT NO: 5,270,332 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 16 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Dec. 14, 1993  
TITLE: Cholesterol lowering agents  
INVENTOR: Shieh-Shung T. Chen, Morganville, NJ  
Leeyuan Huang, Watchung, NJ  
John G. MacConnell, Westfield, NJ  
Jon D. Polishook, Scotch Plains, NJ  
Raymond F. White, Englishtown, NJ  
ASSIGNEE: Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway, NJ (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/934,134  
DATE FILED: Aug. 21, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 126  
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US PAT NO: 5,270,204 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 17 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Dec. 14, 1993  
TITLE: Covalent angiogenin/RNase hybrids  
INVENTOR: Bert L. Vallee, Brookline, MA  
Michael D. Bond, Brighton, MA  
ASSIGNEE: The President and Fellows of Harvard College, Cambridge,

MA (U.S. corp.)

APPL-NO: 07/947,363  
DATE FILED: Sep. 18, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 184  
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LEGAL-REP: Allegretti & Witcoff, Ltd.

US PAT NO: 5,258,401 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 18 of 29

DATE ISSUED: Nov. 2, 1993  
TITLE: Cholesterol lowering compounds  
INVENTOR: Gregory D. Berger, Belle Mead, NJ  
Robert W. Marquis, Jr., Iselin, NJ  
Albert J. Robichaud, Stirling, NJ  
Edward M. Scolnick, Wynnewood, PA

ASSIGNEE: Merck & Co., Inc., Rahway, NJ (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/938,981  
DATE FILED: Sep. 10, 1992  
ART-UNIT: 126  
PRIM-EXMR: Nicky Chan  
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US PAT NO: 5,223,482 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 19 of 29

DATE ISSUED: Jun. 29, 1993  
TITLE: Recombinant Alzheimer's protease inhibitory amyloid  
protein and method of use  
INVENTOR: James W. Schilling, Jr., Palo Alto, CA  
Phyllis A. Ponte, Mountain View, CA  
Barbara Cordell, Palo Alto, CA

ASSIGNEE: Scios Nova Inc., Mountain View, CA (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/361,912  
DATE FILED: Jun. 6, 1989  
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LEGAL-REP: Karl Bozicevic

US PAT NO: 5,220,013 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 20 of 29

DATE ISSUED: Jun. 15, 1993  
TITLE: DNA sequence useful for the detection of Alzheimer's  
disease  
INVENTOR: Phyllis A. Ponte, Mountain View, CA  
Barbara Cordell, Palo Alto, CA

ASSIGNEE: Scios Nova Inc., Mountain View, CA (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/444,118  
DATE FILED: Nov. 30, 1989  
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US PAT NO: 5,196,525 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 21 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Mar. 23, 1993  
TITLE: DNA construct for enhancing the efficiency of  
transcription  
INVENTOR: Joan C. McPherson, Vancouver, Canada  
Robert Kay, West Vancouver, Canada  
ASSIGNEE: University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada (foreign  
corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/682,049  
DATE FILED: Apr. 8, 1991  
ART-UNIT: 184  
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US PAT NO: 5,164,316 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 22 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Nov. 17, 1992  
TITLE: DNA construct for enhancing the efficiency of  
transcription  
INVENTOR: Joan C. McPherson, Vancouver, Canada  
Robert Kay, Vancouver, Canada  
ASSIGNEE: The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada  
(foreign corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/395,155  
DATE FILED: Aug. 17, 1989  
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LEGAL-REP: Barbara Rae-Venter, Bertram I. Rowland

US PAT NO: 5,135,915 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 23 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Aug. 4, 1992  
TITLE: Method for the treatment of grafts prior to  
transplantation using TGF-.beta.  
INVENTOR: Christine W. Czarniecki, San Francisco, CA  
Michael A. Palladino, Foster City, CA

Eli Shefter, San Francisco, CA  
ASSIGNEE: Genentech, Inc., South San Francisco, CA (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/258,276  
DATE FILED: Oct. 14, 1988  
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US PAT NO: 5,135,849 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 24 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Aug. 4, 1992  
TITLE: In-vitro methods for identifying compositions which are  
agonists and antagonists of androgens  
INVENTOR: Ana M. Soto, Boston, MA  
Carlos Sonnenschein, Boston, MA  
ASSIGNEE: Trustees of Tufts College, Medford, MA (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/339,800  
DATE FILED: Apr. 18, 1989  
ART-UNIT: 182  
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US PAT NO: 5,087,368 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 25 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Feb. 11, 1992  
TITLE: Purified protease nexin  
INVENTOR: Randy W. Scott, Sunnyvale, CA  
Joffre B. Baker, El Granada, CA  
ASSIGNEE: Incyte Pharmaceuticals, Palo Alto, CA (U.S. corp.)  
University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/577,887  
DATE FILED: Sep. 5, 1990  
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US PAT NO: 5,006,252 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 26 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Apr. 9, 1991  
TITLE: Purified protease nexin  
INVENTOR: Randy W. Scott, Sunnyvale, CA  
Joffre B. Baker, El Granada, CA  
ASSIGNEE: Invitron, St. Louis, MO (U.S. corp.)  
University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 07/378,434

DATE FILED: Jul. 10, 1989  
ART-UNIT: 136  
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LEGAL-REP: Irell & Manella

US PAT NO: 4,931,373 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 27 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Jun. 5, 1990  
TITLE: Stable DNA constructs for expression of .alpha.-1  
antitrypsin  
INVENTOR: Glenn Kawasaki, Seattle, WA  
Leslie Bell, Seattle, WA  
ASSIGNEE: ZymoGenetics, Inc., Seattle, WA (U.S. corp.)  
APPL-NO: 06/663,315  
DATE FILED: Oct. 22, 1984  
ART-UNIT: 185  
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US PAT NO: 4,912,136 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 28 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Mar. 27, 1990  
TITLE: Uses of a substituted 2-phenoxyphenylacetic acid as an  
immunosuppressant drug  
INVENTOR: Elizabeth M. Wood, Lubnaig, 442 Blackness Road, Dundee,  
United Kingdom, DD2 1TQ  
APPL-NO: 07/212,915  
DATE FILED: Jun. 29, 1988  
ART-UNIT: 125  
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US PAT NO: 4,806,471 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L1: 29 of 29  
DATE ISSUED: Feb. 21, 1989  
TITLE: Plasmids with conditional uncontrolled replication  
behavior  
INVENTOR: Soren Molin, Holte, Denmark  
Janice A. Light, Henley-on-Thames, United Kingdom  
Jens E. L. Larsen, Jordlose, Denmark  
ASSIGNEE: A/S Alfred Benzon, Copenhagen, Denmark (foreign corp.)  
APPL-NO: 06/610,765  
DATE FILED: May 16, 1984  
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